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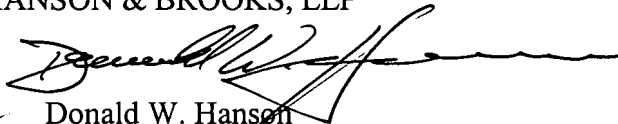
Dear Sir:

In response to the Notification of Missing Requirements dated **April 26, 2007**, enclosed for filing in the above-identified patent application, are Replacement Drawings with text in English, 5 sheets (Figures 1-5). It is respectfully submitted that the replacement drawings add no new matter.

In the event that any additional fees are due with this paper, please charge Deposit Account No. 01-2340. In the event that this response is not timely filed, the applicant hereby petitions for an appropriate extension of time. The fees for any such extension may be charged to our Deposit Account No. 01-2340.

Respectfully submitted,

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Enclosures: Notification, Replacement Drawings with text in English, 5 sheets (Figures 1-5)

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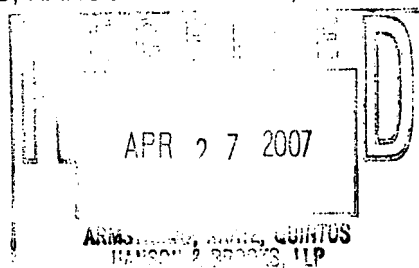
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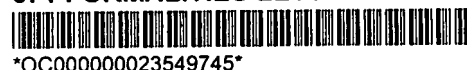
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- Indication of Small Entity Status
- Copy of the International Application filed on 09/09/2005
- English Translation of the IA filed on 09/09/2005
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 09/09/2005
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 03/16/2005
- Oath or Declaration filed on 03/16/2005
- Request for Immediate Examination filed on 03/16/2005
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 03/16/2005

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Translation of the application into English. The current translation of the application into English is defective as described below. Note a processing fee will be required if submitted later than 30 months from the priority date.
 - The text in the drawings has not been properly translated.
- Processing fee of \$130 for providing the translation of the application and/or the Annexes later than 30 months from the priority date (37 CFR 1.492(i)).

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is \$130 for a Small Entity.

- \$130 for English translation surcharge required.

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